

tions on this subject, and also that he lacked the authorization to do so.

"If, in the conversation," he says, "I referred to the desirability of reforming our electoral legislation, it was as to one of the various measures which, in my opinion, it would be advisable to adopt, and not as one of the things that is at present being considered by the government."

Mr. Llanos denied that he spoke of antagonism between the people and the administration and lack of accord between the governing element and the governed.

"When I was asked what was the truth respecting the alleged negotiations with the rebels, and the concessions that the government was disposed to make them, I said that there had not been any negotiations with them so far as I knew, and that the only determination reached up to date has been of a military character."

Insurrectos in Force.

Chihuahua, Mex., March 23. (via San Antonio, Tex., March 23.)—Delayed in transmission.—At the village of Ocho de Lagunas last night, 100 kilometres north of here, there were 1,200 insurrectos, headed by Madero and Garibaldi, who were reported dead, and with them, as is Francisco I. Madero. The latter has a slight wound in the hand. Of the Americans formerly with the outfit but seven remain. The others have been killed or wounded or have deserted.

General Rabago is entrenched between this city and the insurrectos. He is expected to remain in defensive position with his force of 200 men. The rebels have been threatening to attack the town, but it may be only a threat.

Reported Shot to Death.

San Antonio, Tex., March 23.—John Hamilton Dismore, and three other Americans are reported shot to death under order of a Mexican court-martial for participation in the insurrection. Dismore was engaged in the cattle and mining business in the State of Chihuahua.

Mr. Burns, a mining man with interests in Northern Mexico, who arrived to-day, declared that the closing of the mines had thrown many Americans out of work, and that more than 150, having no other way of living, were now with the insurrectos.

General Smith's brigade, which halted on its march at Eleven-Mile Hill yesterday, resumed the trip to Leon Springs to-day. The night was spent under shelter tents.

Call for Recruits.

Washington, March 23.—Calls for 6,000 or 7,000 recruits, to bring the infantry regiments of the army mobilized in Texas and California up to full strength, have been sent by the War Department to all the army recruiting stations in the country. Two thousand recruits already have been sent to the manoeuvre division at San Antonio. To fill all the vacancies in the infantry now in the South between 6,000 and 7,000 more men will be required.

Many Killed in Battle.

Agua Prieta, Sonora, March 23. (via Douglas, Ariz.)—Thirty-six rebels and eight Federals are dead as the result of a nine-hour battle at La Colorado, south of Hermosillo, according to reports received here. The rebels were driven out of the town.

General Staff Pleased.

Washington, March 23.—The general staff is proud of the degree of success attained in the effort to mobilize an army division in Texas and California. The staff is pleased with the record made by the army inspectors, upon which the record was made. Instead of occupying sixty days, as had been previously predicted in some quarters, the entire movement was completed in ten days, or one-sixth of that time.

Within eighteen hours after orders, March 6, the Tenth Infantry was enfiladed at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. The Fourth Field Artillery, from Fort D. A. Russell, was the last organization to arrive at San Antonio, ten days after orders. The troops from Fort Myer, Va., had the greatest distance to travel—1,715 miles—to reach San Antonio, and they averaged twenty-eight miles an hour on the trip.

"Beginning to-day General Carter intends moving his men from the camp at San Antonio to the government reservation at Leon Springs, Tex., by brigades in turn for instruction."

That announcement, made by the War Department, is in conformity with the department's intention to make a public announcement in Washington of troop movements in Texas and California in order to avoid possible misinterpretation of the direction of the manoeuvres.

Report Is Denied.

Laredo, Texas, March 23.—Dispatches direct from Monterey, Mexico, to-night denied reports that the city had fallen into the hands of the insurrectos. Bands of insurrectos are reported near Monterey, but no attack has occurred nor is one feared. Monterey is the headquarters of the military zone, and is well garrisoned.

Discontent Grows.

Mazatlan, Sinaloa, Mexico, March 23.—Reports indicate that there is a growing spirit of unrest throughout this State and in Tepic as well. The discontent appears to exist as the result of abuses alleged to have been committed by the federal police. No outbreaks are reported, but secret meetings are held in different towns, and protests are being prepared.

Fields Denied He Resisted Arrest.

Made Ante-Mortem Statement to Friends—Authorities Investigating.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Lynchburg, Va., March 23.—Friends of Wesley Fields, a Warmington, Va. man, who was shot at Warmington Sunday night by Constable William Hughes, and who died Sunday night, deny strenuously that the shooting took place because Mr. Fields resisted arrest. Just how the trouble occurred is shrouded in mystery, and the authorities are investigating.

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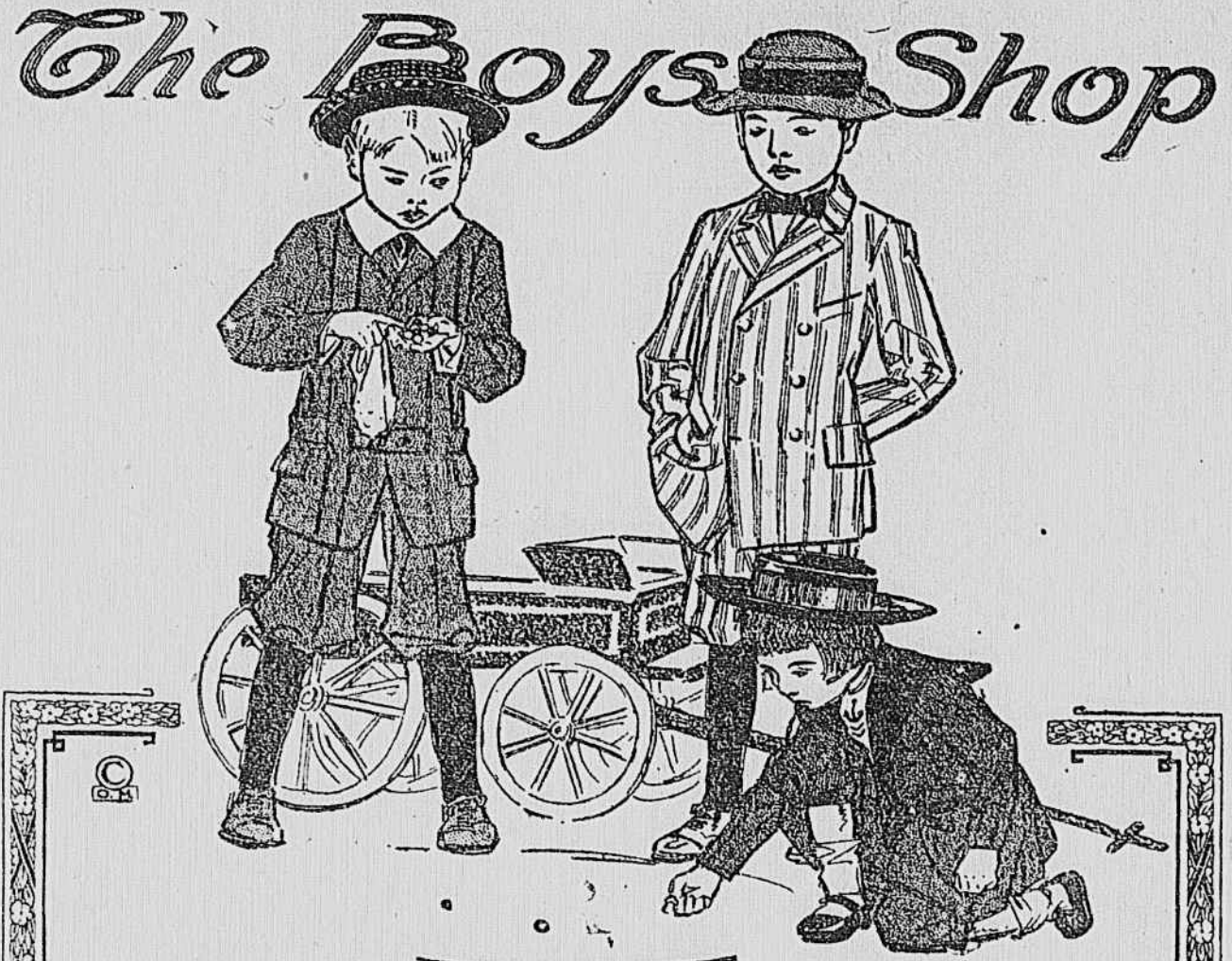
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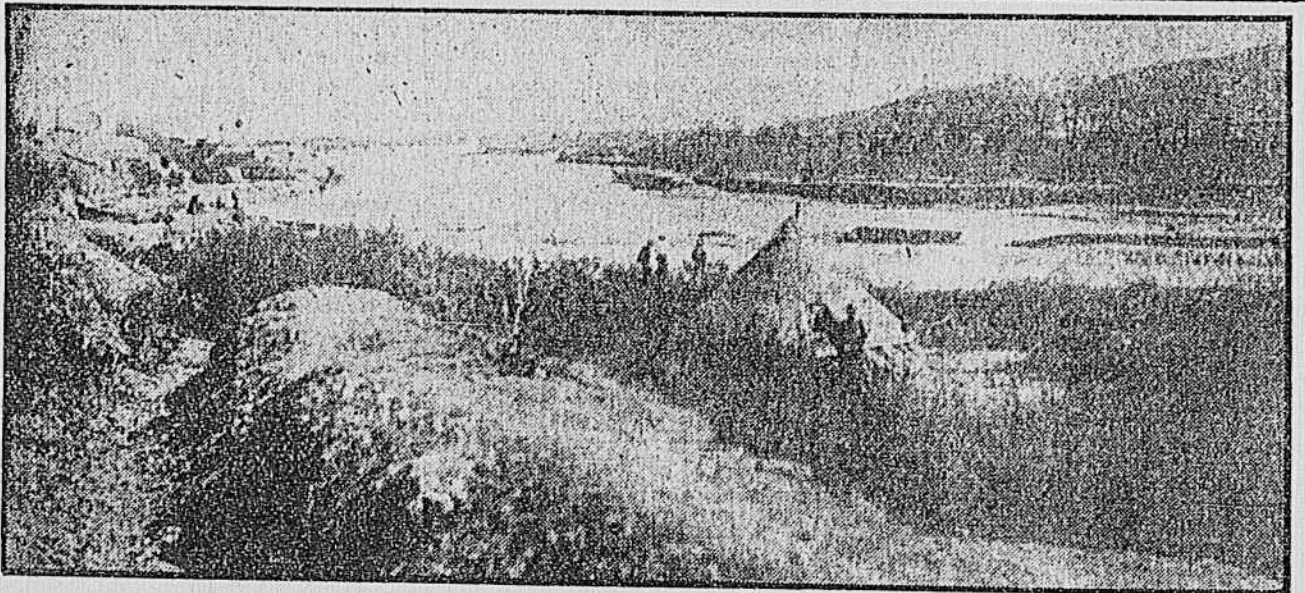
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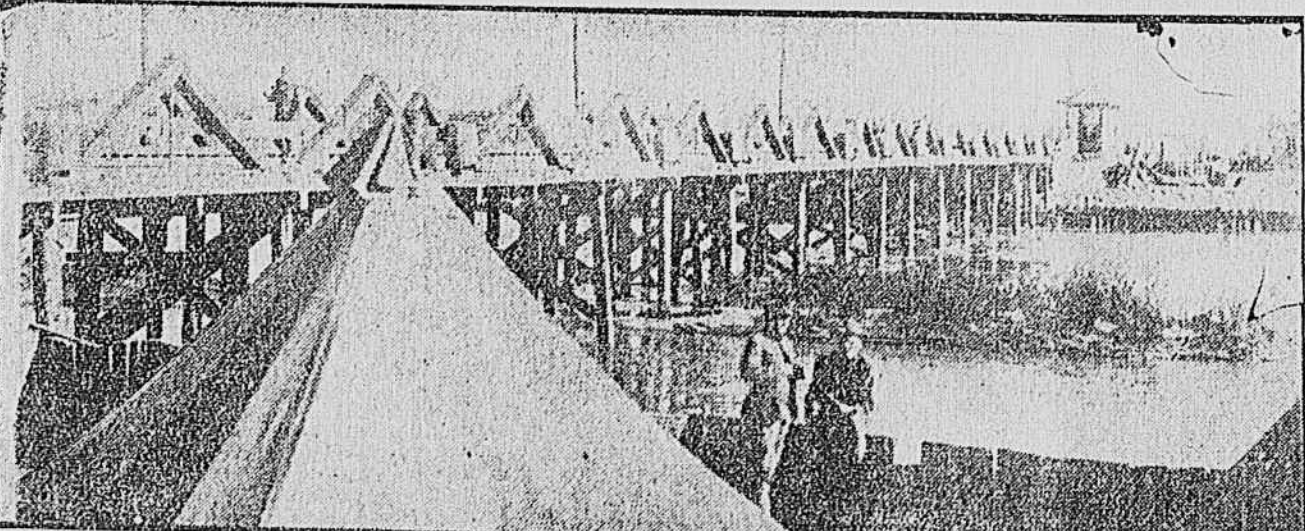
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UNITED STATES TROOPS AT INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE, EL PASO, TEXAS. NOTE THE UNITED STATES SOLDIER ON THE BRIDGE, TO THE LEFT, ON PATROL DUTY.

authorities of Nelson county are conducting a vigorous investigation, in the hope of ascertaining more than they know now of the trouble, and the cause, if there were any, leading up to it. Hughes has been locked up in the county jail at Lynchburg.

It was pointed out last night by a relative of the dead man that the very fact that the coroner's jury failed Monday to arrive at a verdict as to the cause of the killing of Fields, is taken to mean that more investigation will be necessary to throw further light upon it.

In addition to this, it is claimed that two of the last three shots fired at Fields by the constable took effect in the man's back.

If this be true, the statement that Fields was lying on his back at the time of the shooting could hardly be more correct.

It was learned last night that Fields, who was perfectly conscious up to the time of his death, denied that he even had a knife as was claimed. Indeed, Sunday he asked a friend who called to see him why the constable had shot him. When told it was because he was resisting and attempting to cut the officer with a knife, he declared that he knew he could not live long, and with death facing him, he claimed that he had had no difficulty with the constable, and he did not have the slightest knowledge why he had been shot.

The coroner's inquest was impeded at Norwood Monday, but the evidence was taken at Warmington, the jury failing to agree upon a verdict.

As soon as this fact was communicated to the county officials, and an investigation is being conducted to arrive, if possible, at the real trouble.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.

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ALWAYS PAID LODGE DUES TO LYNCHBURG MASONS

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Lynchburg, Va., March 23.—Colonel Henry Wagner, U. S. A., retired, who died at New York City several days ago, was made a Mason in Lynchburg during the time the Federal troops occupied Lynchburg, shortly after the Civil War. At that time, September, 1867, Colonel Wagner was in charge of a regiment in camp at Fort Seaford, near South Lynchburg. He was made a member of Marshall Lodge, and, remarkable as it may seem, although he never lived here after reconstruction times, always paid his dues to that lodge, and at the time of his death had them paid to next December. Miss Louise A. Wagner, a daughter of the deceased, has just notified the Marshall Lodge here of her father's death.

MARKETING FOR ARMY IS GIGANTIC TASK

Duty of Chief Commissary Officer One of Hardest in Connection With Border Manoeuvres. What the Soldiers Eat.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Washington, D. C., March 23.—Picture yourself starting out to do your morning marketing with a market basket capable of holding over 50,000 pounds of produce and a pocketbook containing \$5,000 or \$6,000 with which to make your purchases.

Figuratively speaking, this is the daily task of Major Harry E. Wilkins, chief commissary officer at the army manoeuvre camps at San Antonio, Tex. Few people realize what a gigantic task it is to see that 20,000 able-bodied soldiers get three good meals a day.

While much has been written about the achievements of other branches of the army in connection with the newly pitched camps along the Mexican border, the commissary department has been neglected, and yet this is perhaps the most important of them all. Military experts all agree that in order to get the best services from the soldier, first it must be seen that he is well fed, and, secondly, that he is well clothed.

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In the case of the San Antonio camp, however, Major Wilkins has been given authority to purchase any supplies that he may need at the nearest convenient point. Such purchases are made in the open market and not through contract. This will mean that farmers in the neighborhood of San Antonio, Tex., will have no difficulty in disposing of their produce this season, for instead of using canned and desiccated vegetables the commissary officers will secure fresh articles whenever it is possible.

Will Seek Funds for Y. M. C. A.

Whirlwind Eight-Day Campaign Formally Launched in Raleigh.

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Raleigh, N. C., March 23.—Following a stirring address by United States Judge J. C. Pritchard, of Asheville, and H. A. Ackley, of Richmond, and R. C. Hood, of Greensboro, at a conference dinner to-night, participated in by nearly 200 young men, the campaign for raising \$65,000 for a Y. M. C. A. building was formally launched. No subscriptions were taken, but there were announcements of a number of large subscriptions, aggregating \$5,000. They were: Asheville, \$2,000; W. M. Williamson, \$1,000; C. J. Hunter, \$1,000; and John Pullen, \$1,000. The pledges are to be taken conditioned on \$65,000 being raised by April 4, payable in the next two years.

In estimating the amount of food necessary to feed an army, the unit of measure used is known as a ration, or that amount of food required by one man for one day. One army ration costs the government about 33 1/2 cents at the present time. Several years ago rations could be purchased at several cents' less cost. The 20,000 rations needed to feed each day the army camped about San Antonio costs the government about \$4,700.

Three hundred and twelve cooks are needed to prepare the food when once it has reached the camp. In this work they have the assistance of an equal number of kitchen police, or soldiers who have been detailed to help in the preparation of the food and also in the serving during meal time.

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daughter, Miss Ida V. Spindle, in Washington, aged seventy-six years. She leaves a husband, two daughters and two sons. Her father was Lloyd Graham, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, who officiated at her funeral here yesterday. She was married here fifty-eight years ago yesterday, conducted the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Maria Worthington, of her father, Mrs. S. W. Arnold, lived by her husband, three children and three brothers.

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Spotsylvania, Va., March 23.—Mrs. T. W. Brooks, of Lexington, in this county, died a few days ago of pneumonia, aged forty-three years. She is survived by her husband, three children and three brothers.

Double Funeral.

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Charlottesville, Va., March 23.—A pathetic double funeral took place at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the Union Chapel at the Charlottesville Woolen Mills—that of John I. Seagraves, a well-known Confederate veteran, and his infant grandson, the five-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Brown, of this city. The service was impressively conducted by the Rev. Furness H. Martin, D. D., pastor of the High Street Baptist Church.

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Bristol, Va., March 23.—Thomas P. Williamson, for many years prominent as a planter and tobacco manufacturer at Winston-Salem, N. C., died here to-day of apoplexy, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. B. Wood, in his seventy-sixth year. He was a member of the Methodist Church, and his surviving children are: R. L. Williamson, Winston-Salem, N. C.; C. H. Williamson, Charlotte, N. C.; Walter Leak, Winston-Salem, N. C.; and Anderson, Bristol. The body was sent to Winston-Salem for interment.

Miss Lizzie Baylor.

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Roanoke, Va., March 23.—A wealthy resident of Salem, Thomas H. Conner, died at night in Dr. S. Wier Mitchell's hospital, in Philadelphia, after a long illness, aged forty years. He was president of the Conner Glass and Silica Company of Salem, and of the Colonial Bank and Trust Company of Roanoke. His home is perhaps one of the handsomest places in Virginia. He is survived by his widow and five children.

DEATHS.

FARLEY—Died, March 22, 1911, at 7 A. M., at his residence, 304 E. Leigh Street, LAWRENCE A. son of L. M. and M. E. Farley, in the thirty-third year of his age.

Funeral from St. Peter's Church FRIDAY at 10 A. M., with requiem high mass. Interment Mt. Calvary.

JOHNSON—Died, at her home, 1308 1-2 West Leigh Street, MRS. MARGARET L. JOHNSON, an aged mother. Funeral will take place from the home FRIDAY, March 24, at 3 P. M.

FUNERAL NOTICE

TANCH—Died, Wednesday morning, March 22, 1911, at 11 o'clock, MARY L. TANCH, aged eighteen, daughter of Dr. R. F. Tanch and Mary D. Tanch.

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IN MEMORIAM

PARR—in loving remembrance of my brother, EDWARD L. PARR, who died in Lynchburg, March 24, 1910. They are poor indeed who, losing, have forgotten; they are poorer far who lose and wish they might forget.

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